

# Garvan: Request interactive session

This document is a simple walk-through that shows how an interactive session is requested and used on Garvan's on-site HPC platforms.

#### Source documents:

**TBD** 

## Wolfpack

### Login on the login node

```
# Login to Wolfpack HPC
ssh -i <your-SSH-key> <your-username>@dice01.garvan.unsw.edu.au
```

### Request an interactive session from the scheduler

```
# Request an interactive session
qlogin
```

#### Wait for interactive session to start

On Wolfpack, interactive sessions will start almost instantly!

#### Interactive session starts

```
O[MANN @dice01 ~]$ qlogin

Your job 2596719 ("QLOGIN") has been submitted

waiting for interactive job to be scheduled ...

Your interactive job 2596719 has been successfully scheduled.

Establishing builtin session to host delta-3-1.local ...

[MANN @delta-3-1 ~]$
```

### Start R/Python/Julia/Perl...etc.

```
[ @delta-3-1 ~]$ python3

Python 3.6.8 (default, Nov 16 2020, 16:55:22)

[GCC 4.8.5 20150623 (Red Hat 4.8.5-44)] on linux

Type "help", "copyright", "credits" or "license" for more information.

>>>
```

#### Exit interactive session and logout

```
>>>
>>> quit()
[______@delta-3-1 ~]$ exit
logout
[______@dice01 ~]$ exit
```